



24th February 2014

World Book Day – Thursday 6th March 2014

Dear Parent/Carer

World Book Day takes place on Thursday 6 March 2014, and we would like to mark this occasion with a number of activities throughout week beginning Monday 3rd March.

World Book Day celebrates the joy and value of books and reading, especially for children. To help them on their reading journey, every child receives a £1 world Book Day token that can either be exchanged for one of TEN special £1 World Book Day books or used to get £1 off any book costing £2.99 or more. You can find out more about the books at worldbookday.com/books . Vouchers can be redeemed at most UK bookshops.

Please find below our plans in school to celebrate this special event.

Date	Activity	What will this involve?
Monday 3 rd March	World Book Day Assembly	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All pupils in assembly hall 9.30am
Tuesday 4 th March	Drop everything and read	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Every class will choose a 20 minute time slot and enjoy a story with their class teacher
Wednesday 5 th March	Design a bookmark competition	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All classes will design bookmark, template provided
Thursday 6 th March	Storytime online	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Classes can choose from a wide range of famous authors and stars reading children's books and short stories
Friday 7 th March	Book character parade	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Pupils can dress up as favourite book characterClasses will be allocated time to parade

Following the success of our 'Book Café' earlier this session, this will now be open to pupils and staff throughout the week. Each class can choose a slot from timetable and enjoy juice and a biscuit with their class teacher, whilst reading from our wide range of books available.

For more information about World Book Day and activities that you can do at home with your child, please visit www.worldbookday.com

Thank you for your continued support

Yours Sincerely

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